

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicants: Stefano Marchesini et al.  
Serial No. 10/664,113  
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Title: **Throttle Body Assembly For A Fuel Injected  
Combustion Engine**  
Group Art Unit: 3747  
Examiner: Hai H. Huynh  
Allowed: April 14, 2004  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

Dear Sir:

**Introductory Comments:**

The following claim amendments are being filed after allowance and before issuance, and per the recommendation of Examiner Huynh who was consulted on July 2, 2004 and has agreed to the enclosed claim amendments.

Because the First Office Action, dated April 14, 2004, is an Allowance, this Amendment is the result of Applicant's first opportunity to review after filing.

The minor amendments correct confusing terminology and do not add new matter, nor do the amendments create a need for further examination.